

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant: Michael Guggemos, et al.  
Serial Number: 10/566,227  
Filed: January 27, 2006  
For: DEVICE AND METHOD FOR ELECTROLYTICALLY  
TREATING ELECTRICALLY INSULATED STRUCTURES  
Conf. No. 3740  
Art Unit: 1795  
Examiner: Luan V. Van  
Atty. doc: 366-05  
(order no) (8008)

**AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 CFR §1.116, in response to a final Office Action dated November 2, 2009, to which a response is due on or before February 2, 2010, kindly amend the above-cited application as follows.

Applicant requests a two-month extension of time to respond pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136. The requisite fee additional fee is attached pursuant to 37 CFR 1.17 [the first month fee already having been paid].

This Amendment is being filed with a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) and the requisite fee.

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